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INTERN	NATIONA	L APPLICATION NO.	INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE	PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED							
PCT/IB(	01/00544		April 2, 2001	April 7, 2000							
TITLE OF INVENTION  DEVICE AND METHOD FOR CONTROLLING INFUSION OF A LIQUID IN AN EXTRACORPOREAL BLOOD CIRCUIT											
APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US Renato PEDRAZZI											
Applicant(s) herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information:											
1.	$\boxtimes$	This is a <b>FIRST</b> submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C 371.									
2.		This is a <b>SECOND</b> or <b>SUBSEQUENT</b> submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.									
3.		This is an express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f)). The submission must include items (5), (6), (9) and (21) indicated below.									
4.		The US has been elected by the expiration of 19 months from the priority date (Article 31).									
<b>5</b> .	$\boxtimes$	A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(2)).									
		a. 🛛 is atta	ched hereto (required only if not communicated	by the International Bureau.							
		b.	een communicated by the International Bureau.								
ı		c. 🔲 is not	required, as the application was filed with the U	nited States Receiving Office (RO/US).							
6.		An English language trans	slation of the International Application as filed (	35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(2)).							
		a. 🗆 is atta	ched hereto.								
		b.	een previously submitted under 35 U.S.C. 154 (d	l)(4).							
7.	$\boxtimes$	Amendments to the claim	s of the International Application under PCT Art	ticle 19 (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(3)).							
		a. $\square$ are at	tached hereto (required only if not communicated	d by the International Bureau).							
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		c.  have	not been made; however, the time limit for making	ng such amendments has NOT expired.							
		d. 🖾 have	not been made and will not be made.								
8.		An English language tran	An English language translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(3)).								
9.		An oath or declaration of	the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(4)).								
10.		An English language translation of the annexes of the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(5)).									
Items 11	l to 20 bel	ow concern document(s) o	or information included:								
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11.	Ø		tatement under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98	W 27 CDD 2 22 12 52 1							
12.		An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included.									
13.	$\boxtimes$	A FIRST preliminary amendment with ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE.									
14.		A SECOND or SUBSEQUENT preliminary amendment.									
15.		A Substitute specification.									
16.		A change of power of attorney and/or address letter.									
17.		A computer-readable form of the sequence listing in accordance with PCT Rule 13ter.2 and 35 U.S.C. 1.821-1.825.									
18.		A second copy of the published international application under 35 U.S.C. 154 (d)(4).									
19.		A second copy of the English language translation of the international application 35 U.S.C. 154 (d)(4).									
20.	$\boxtimes$	Other items or information:									
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		b.	of Notification of Missing Requirements.								

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NOTE: Where an appropriate time limit under 37 CFR 1.494 or 1.495 has not been met, a petition to revive (37 CFR 1.137 (a) or (b)) must be filed and granted to restore the application to pending status.										
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